

Community Notification

Upcoming Surveys June-July 2026

Yallourn Energy Security Precinct (YESP)

What is happening?

EnergyAustralia is progressing early investigations to support planning and approvals for the proposed Yallourn Energy Security Precinct (YESP) Project.

As part of this work, specialist studies and surveying will be undertaken on land owned by EnergyAustralia, and adjacent our mine licence boundaries.

Rest assured, there will be no access to privately owned land.

We appreciate your cooperation as we progress important early studies for the proposed YESP Project.

What can I expect?

You may see accredited ecologists, heritage consultants and surveyors undertaking on-ground investigations. These activities may include:

- Walking the along adjacent road reserve and publicly accessible land
- Using surveying equipment along the road reserve and publicly accessible land
- Identifying flora species and vegetation communities
- Checking for threatened species habitat
- Taking photographs and GPS locations
- Minor hand-disturbance (e.g., lifting logs or leaf litter)
- Using binoculars or handheld devices for habitat and heritage assessment
- No machinery will be used. No ground disturbance requiring equipment will occur.

What do I need to do?

No action is required from you. However:

- Please take care when driving past survey teams
- Slow down around parked vehicles and people working near the road
- Keep pets or livestock away from survey teams if they are near boundary fences

Your awareness helps our teams complete this work safely.

Where, when and what.

Timing:

Surveys and specialist studies will occur intermittently over June-July 2026 during daylight hours.

Location:

Land within our mine licence boundaries and publicly accessible land adjacent Yallourn is being investigated.

No access to private property is required unless we have made prior arrangements with you directly.

How will this impact me?

Residents, road users and property owners may notice:

- Specialist consultants and surveyors wearing high-visibility shirts working on foot near road verges or fence lines.
- Parked vehicles in safe pull-off locations.
- Occasional low-level conversation or movement as surveys occur
- Noise and disruption will be minimal.

I have questions, who can I speak to?

Contact Us:

Visit us in person at our Community Hub – 228 Commercial Rd, Morwell
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